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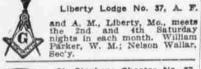
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LINCOLN, NEB. By W. W. Mosely

Rev. B. Hillman returned home Sat urday from Terre Haute, Ind., where he has been on business for the past ten days. Albert Saunders was re ported very ill at the home of her parents.... Mrs. L. B. Moore was confined at home the past week with severe cold..., Mrs. Bert Hawkins is reported to be slowly improving from a stroke of paralysis. She suffered some weeks past ... We regret the report that Dilla, daughter of Mrs. A. Iowa..., Mr. George Miller, since going to Phoenix, Ariz., is reported to be very fil.... Dr. Ernest E. Graves will leave the city next Tuesday to join his wife at Kansas City and then they will go to Indianapolis, Ind., wrere Dr. Graves will practice dentistry. We OFFICERS OF GRAND CHAPTER, regret to have him leave our city and

> success socially and financially. found that she had been robbed of fig. ness lines. teen dollars in money. Mrs. Sellers his myriad friends in Kansas City... ernacle are taking on quite an in- him as Hall was chasing him with Neb., is employed at the home of Mr. a splendid progress L. J. Dunn, vice president of City National Bank, as chauffeur and house

BUTTE, MONT.

By Jesse H. Smith. Mrs. E. B. Reed is very much improved at this writing . . . Brennan King, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. King, is seriously ill at their home with bronchial trouble...Mrs. M. Gardner and A. M., Liberty, Mo., meets the 2nd and 4th Saturday nights in each month. William Parker, W. M.; Nelson Wallar, Sec'y. city visiting Chancellor Jesse H. monds Smith...Sherman Powell was buried this morning in Holy Cross cemetery. having been hung January 14th, for the murder of J. H. Montgomery. Louis S. Sheets, an old pioneer of Butte, died very suddenly at his resiure. The funeral was Sunday afternoon at two o'clock from the Bethel Baptist of which he was a member, lng. Rev. E. B. Reed officiating, assisted by Rev. G. S. Allen. Mr. Sheets be-

SOCIAL SERVICE LECTURES.

There will be given at Old City Hos- ing at this writing. pital, a series of lectures on Social Service, beginning Wednesday even- bill or you'll get cut off the gratis list ing, September 19, and every Thurs- after the 31st. day thereafter throughout the year. They will also be free, and anyone make the last payment on the beautiwishing to take advantage of them is ful forty dollar Victrola that they preinvited to attend. They will be given sented to the school some time ago. in the nurses' Study Room of the Old The Lincoln Auxiliary of The Amer City Hospital, and will begin promptly at 8 o'clock p. m.

Jan. 24-31: Miss A. J. Sorta, Women's Reformatory. Subject, "Training and Care of Delinquent Girls." Feb. 7: Mrs. T. W. H. Williams "The School for Servant Subject.

Feb. 14: Mrs. Mary Green, inves-

Feb. 21-28: Mr. J. O. Stutsman, superintendent Municipal Farm. Sub-

ject, "Causes of Crime." March 7: Dr. E. L. Mathias, chief robation officer. Subject, "The Juve-

nile Court." March 14: Dr. Alberta Green, Wo-March 21: Prof. J. R. E. Lee, principal, Lincoln High School. Subject, The School and Social Service."

March 28: Mrs. E. L. Bringham, Helping Hand Association.

April 4: Miss Anna Jones, Lincoln Girls' Home."

April 11: Mrs. Margaret Barnett, nvestigator for Board of Health. April 18: Mr. James A. Lee, truant officer. Subject, "The Truant Child." April 25: Miss Beatrice Sydnor, R. and Miss Grace White, teacher. Subject, "The Fresh Air School."

of the Community." May 9: Mr. O. J. Hill, president

ederated Negro Charities. May 16: Mrs. Frances J. Jackso County Home for Negroes. Subject "The County Home."

zens. Having spent over thirty years is president and Mr. Hubbard, Secreof his life in this city be was night tary... The past Grand and Deputy watchman of the State Savings Bank Supreme Chancellor has never enjoy for over ten wtyyears. He was a ed himself in all his life as well as Charter member of the G. U. O. of O. he did on the seventeenth, while enwas also a charter member of the access to the train from the smoker is not operated for profit. Bethel Baptist church. Mr. Sheets to the Observation car with Mr. Geo. will be greatly missed htroughout this M. Lee, Sr., and Mr. Jones in the dinily wishes to thank their many friends | welcome. for the kindnesses during the recent Harding, is very ill and is expected to band and father; and also thanks the be brought here from her home in lodge members for the kind sympathy shown and the friends for so many beautiful floral offerings ... Read good books, papers and magazines on sale at 215 S. Mont. St.

OMAHA, NEBR

One of the pleasing surprises o als home for a new location....Mrs. the week was the marriage of Mr. W. Elizabeth Ratley arrived here from H. (Bob) Robinson, one of the best Denver, Colo., last Sunday and will known men in our city and a very effilive with her daughter, Mrs. D. E. cient secretary of Omaha Lodge 46. Nichols Mrs. Jennie Sellers is able A. F. & A. M. to Miss Eddie Washingto be out again after her accident. . . ton a charming young lady of Kansas Only a few days more of the one dol- City, Kansas. It was Bob's thirtylar rate for the Sun. Send your sub- fifth birthday and his friends gave scription toda yto W. W. Mosley him such a celebration as he will al-The mock trial entertainment at the ways remember ... Among the new A. M. E. church last Thursday was a subscribers this week are Mr. F. H. Jenkins one of Omaha's most success Mrs. Mary Williams was reported ful business men and Mr. Thos. H. OFFICERS OF GRAND COMMAND- on the sick list last week . Mrs. Jen. Perkins who evidently know a good nie Sellers, on returning to her home, thing in the newspaper line when 1952 U St. Monday afternoon, was en- they see it ... "Jack" Broomfield Omatering the house when a man, rushing ha's most successful business man and from within, knocked her down, injur- one who is devoted to his friends at ing her. Upon investigation it was all times is doing nicely along busi-He sends his regards to is ill from painful injury... Magnolia One of the tragedles of the week was Court No. 10 invited quite a class of the killing of Marshall Fielding alias candidates to their lodge last Wednes- Fred Hall by Johnnie Bell who claimday evening... The Daughters of Tab. ed that he was compelled to shoot crease in membership into their lodge razor at the time he was killed. Bell of late ... Mr. Jones is reported III as is a Cornetist with Desdunes famous yet ... Miller & Payne, the largest and band and has always been known for leading Dry Goods store in the city, his peaceful disposition and kindly employs sixteen colored employees, manner. He is a coust of Moses Dan-This is worthy of appreciation ... Mr. ields one of the old pioneer citizens of Chas. McCaw, formerly of Beatrice, Kansas City... The Churches report

MARYVILLE. MO.

Mrs. George Williams and Miss Laura Williams entertained at a birthday party complimentary to the Sixteenth birthday of the former's sister, Miss Vera Vance Tuesday evening January 15th. A very pleasant even ing was spent at games and enjoying the music so much so that it was in the wee hours of morning that the has returned home from the hospital merry makers departed. The following menu was served: Bean salad on lettuce leaf, hot buttered biscuits. sardines, pickles, hot cocoa, food for P. Chancellor of Montana, was in the God with whipped cream, salted al-

Mrs. B .F. Smart has been ill for the past week but is much better at this writing. The Sun wishes a speedy recovery for her.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gooden had as dinner guest Sunday Prof. and Mrs. dence Friday January 11 of heart fail. Ernest O. Boone, Jr. and son Ernest

Mrs. Mary Smith is ill at this writ

The Mount Zion Baptist Church had services Sunday and Monday nights ing dead, Butte has lost one of its with the Rev. Mr. Davis filling the pulpit at both services.

Mrs. Onie Gunn has been very i for the past two weeks but is improv Better hurry and pay up your old

The Mothers club of Douglass school The Handy These lectures will be given by ex- had a social last Friday evening. All perts along their special lines, as in- present spent a very pleasant even dicated by the following program, ing. The proceeds were sufficient to

> ican Red Cross with Mrs. Ernest O. Boone, Jr., and Mrs. B. F. Smart as Instructors made 300 surgical dressngs the first week they worked.

HELENA, MONT. By J. H. Hilliard.

The Pleasant Hour Social Club met at Mrs. Chas. Oliver's on the sixteenth and Mrs. C. H. Harrell was elected reporter for the club in order that the business of the club might be properly put in the Sun ... Mrs. R. E. Ruffins spent a few days in Lewistown, Mont., with Mrs. Ceaulle . . . Mr. A. E. McGinnis is still on the sick list ... Mrs. Judia Oliver is convalescent. Mrs. J. B. Reid is improving ... J. H. nen's Raformatory. Subject, "Girls." Hilliard installed the officers Benevolent Lodge, K. of P., at Anaconda on the sixteenth and enroute home he stopped in Butte and enjoyed a few happy hours with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse H. Smith. Mr. Smith is one of Butte's most progressive men and is doing many things for the advancement of High School. Subject, "The Working the race, by selling all kinds of race papers, books, magazines and deserve the support of all ... Mr. R. E. Ruffini was ill a few days...Mr. Junior Saund ers is on the sick list with a sprained knee... Calodonna Bramwell is con templating a trip to California soon. Mrs. James (Annie Brown) Tolbot is on the sick list, ... Mrs. L. E. Matthews is sojourning at Mrs. Geo. M. Lee, Sr May 2: Miss Eva M. Marquis. Sub-at present. . . d. H. Hilliard came to ject, "How to Develop the Social Life Rev. Reid's at Butte on the seven teenth and enjoyed a delightful visit ... The K. of P's payed its first pol icy in Montana on the sixteenth to Mrs. Rosa Lane at Anaconda. This was a part of the Graud Chancellor's

business away, looking after the Club

most lovable, energetic, christian citi- in Butte, of which Mr. Jesse H. Smith TEN REASONS WHY YOU SHOULD

CARROLLTON, MO.

A splendid program was given at the Virginia St. Baptist church, by the citizensfi in behalf of the community, House to be erected at Camp Funston for the colored soldiers.

This exercise was in keeping with the occasion, strictly patriotic. The music was up to the hour, and was interspersed by addressed, papers and The church was beautifully decorated suitable to the evening. All surroundings assumed an atmospheric appearance of patriotism.

The building was crowded and standing room was at a premium, but not with standing this congested condition enthusiasm soared high,

Success crowned the effort both literally and financially. Two much credit cannot be given to Mrs. Benora E. Highsmith, mistress of ceremony and the instigator of this very commendable program. She was assisted by Mr. A. A. Sanford, Mrs. O. T. Sanford and Mr. F. H. Highsmith.

ROSEDALE, KANSAS.

Little Evaline, the daughter of Mrs. Monday. Her tonsils were removed and she is improving nicely.

ARGENTINE, KANSAS.

Hy Mrs. Ophelia Jackson Miss Blanche Bergin is very sick. Mr. Robert Richards was taken to St. Margaret's hospital Monday morning .The infant daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. John Fields on Thirty-fifth and Barber Ave., met with a painful accia stick, lacerative her mouth... The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. all matters affecting the camp James Bailey was knocked unconscious while at play, but for the timely service of Dr. Davis the result might have proved fatal. The services throughout the day at St. Paul Chapel last Sunday were very good. Rev. Harris, the presiding Elder, preached a stirring se mon Sunday morning. Rev. J. C. C. D. ns, of Quindaro, de-livered the message in the afternoon and Prof. Patterson, of Western Uni versity, preached at night. The church was crowded both afternoon and even ing and it was the best quarterly meet ing both spiritually and finincially St. Pual has had for some time ... The Needle Sraft Club was entertained by Mrs. Lulu Lockridge last Friday af ternoon...Miss Jesse Saunders, teacher in Lincoln school, is confined to her bed on account of illness.

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